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FM AMEMBASSY BUJUMBURA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC NIACT IMMEDIATE 4808

AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM NIACT IMMEDIATE

AMEMBASSY NAIROBI NIACT IMMEDIATE

INFO AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

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SUBJECT: EVACUATION OF SAFE STUDENTS FROM KIGOMA

WE PASS TO ADDRESSEES FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM LUCIUS AND
MACFARLANE IN KIGOMA, WHOSE TELEX LINK IS OUT OF ORDER, BUT
WHO FORWARDED INFO VIA PASSENGER ON ONCE WEEKLY KIGOMA TO
BUJUMBURA AIR BURUNDI FLIGHT MAY 22:

QUOTE

1. SAFARI AIR SERVICES CHARTER WHICH BROUGHT US TO KIGOMA
RETURNED THIS AFTERNOON (MAY 22) TO NAIROBI CARRYING FOLLOWING
FOUR AMCITS FROM GOMBI STREEM NATIONAL PARK: JOAN SILK,
SUSAN LOEB, JIM BAUGH, EMILY POLIS. AIRCRAFT ALSO CARRIED ONE
UK CITIZEN, JOE WAINWRIGHT.

2. MOST OF REMAINING STUDENTS PLAN TO LEAVE KOGOMA VIA TRAIN
MAY 24 AND LAST BATCH ON MAY 27. LIST TO FOLLOW BY PHONE.

3. AT THIS TIME ALL AMCITS MET ARE IN GOOD SPIRITS BUT
OBVIOUSLY SHAKEN BY EXPERIENCE OF LAST FEW DAYS AND LOSS OF
FRIENDS WHO WERE KIDNAPPED.

4. INFORM UK HIGH COMMISSION. UNQUOTE.

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